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NO EXTRAS

ANOTHER BIG DAM BUILDING ON NAZAS

Lower Laguna Farmers to Get Largely Increased Water Distribution Shortly.

Torreón, Mexico, Dec. 26.—As a result of the new distribution of the waters of the Rio Nazas, important improvements are being made by the planters along the lower Nazas. Early this year a contract was given by the firm of Guillermo Purcell for a construction of an immense dam at San Marcos on new principles and the successful completion of the contract by Federico Wulff has now resulted in another large contract being awarded, work on which has just begun.

The projected future distribution of the waters of the Nazas will benefit the lower planters, as they will receive 36 percent of the entire flow instead of 22 percent which they had been allowed for years before, the dividing line being the Torreón dam. For the past 13 years the average yearly flow has been 800,000,000 litres, of which 600,000,000 have gone to the upper river haciendas.

Not only will the Tranquila planters have the advantage of the additional flow, but the new dam will give them 12 more feet of water on the inside of the ditch.

The San Marcos dam, which is slightly smaller than that projected for Trasquila, was erected at a cost of \$200,000. The Trasquila dam will be the first of its size in this style of model rolling dams.

Mr. Wulff has a large force of men working on the excavations in the river bed, and also the pumping machinery in place ridding the site of the large flow of seepage water.

It is intended to finish the entire work before the next rainy season, in July, 1911.

NO CONGESTION AT LOCAL POSTOFFICE

Christmas Rush Heavy, but There Has Been No Delay Here.

There has been no congestion at the El Paso postoffice during the Christmas rush. This is due to a very great extent to the increase of floor space made by the installation of the mezzanine floor and the renting of a store on San Francisco street for the rapid dispatch of mail.

Each night everything has been cleaned up so that it could be sent out on the early morning trains and conditions of previous years have not occurred.

Last year there was a great congestion and every year heretofore, but the systematic conduct of the office during the present year has obviated this and all mail has been sent out by holiday windows who are expected this week.

The one-train-a-week service has been changed to three, which helps to make Clouderoff's rounds around the place than it has been for the past few months. It does not yet affect the mail service, however.

The pupils of the school have purchased a basketball and hope soon to organize a team and be ready to accept some of the invitations which have come to play with the teams of other schools.

The committee on the Christmas entertainment decided to celebrate in the school house instead of the church and two trees were placed side by side to receive the gifts.

After the regular monthly examinations the schools closed for a week's vacation. The enrollment of the term just closed shows an advance over any previous record, being 84.

The new Hansen house is nearing completion and will soon be occupied. The light snow storm and the hard frozes of the last few nights have given the desired Christmas look to the landscape.

GOES SO HIGH IN HIS AEROPLANE ENGINE FREEZER.

New Orleans, La., Dec. 26.—Soaring above the clouds over Lake Chartrain, his goggles so frosted that he could hardly see, and with ice gathered on his machine, Roland G. Garris Sunday was forced to glide to the lower levels on account of a frozen radiator. He broke the altitude record for the international aviation meet here by ascending 7125 feet.

The Frenchman was seven miles out over the lake. His engine began to glow down when he reached his greatest altitude, and the propellers were barely turning. A stop meant a plunge into the lake.

After reaching lower levels, which was done with a rush, the engine started again.

THREE DEAD, TWO DYING FROM INHALING GAS.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 26.—Three men are dead, two are dying and four others are seriously ill as the result of gas poisoning caused by a leaky main under a rooming house. The three men who died have not been identified. The two not expected to live are William Parker and Charles Craft. The other four, all laborers, will recover.

Hot Cham Boulton with salt sprays Filite Confectionery Co.

See the perfection Oil burner exhibit corner Kansas and Franklin. Saves fuel bills. City and county rights to sell.

BATTLE IS FOUGHT ON THE DOMINICAN BORDER.

Santo Domingo, Dec. 26.—News has reached here of an engagement along the Dominican and Haytian borders. Several are reported killed. A gunboat will be dispatched with troops to the scene of the trouble.

Hot Chocolate with whipped cream and cake. Elite Confectionery Co.

Perfection Oil burner reduces fuel bills. Exhibit corner Kansas and Franklin. City and county rights to sell.

Mrs. A. D. Carden and children are here for the holidays, the guests of Mrs. Carden's brother, Will T. Owen, of 918 North Kansas street.

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AMUSEMENTS

BILLY CLIFFORD'S SHOW.

El Pasosans expected something really good at the El Paso theater Sunday night—and they got it.

Billy Clifford and his bunch of broilers (and others) in a "merry musical feast" proved all that was expected—and more.

It is not the biggest show that has been to El Paso this year, and it is not one to make you go home and study over the problem it presents, but it effervesces like good wine and the more you get of it the more you want. It is a dainty, enjoyable performance. There is nothing heavy about it; everything is light and airy—and good. The songs are musical and whistly, the costumes are pretty—yes, more than pretty—and the girls are mostly all pretty and mostly all have pretty good voices.

Clifford himself does a specialty in the last act—that school teacher stunt—that is well worth the price of admission, but his pantomime dance with the little soubrette—Marguerite Devon—is just about as good, though of an entirely different character to his side spitting stunt, with the big hat when he plays teacher and acts so foolish, but so funny.

There is some plot to the play, but not enough to hurt; it is made up merely to entertain, not to instruct, and you will like everybody from jolly Billy Clifford down to the girl with the man's voice who makes everybody laugh when she sings "Does Anybody Here Want a Kiss," and then makes them applaud wildly when she sings the Italian song and does the clever little act with the snowball girls.

If you have a grouse and want to lose it, or if you are feeling good and want to feel better, get a ticket and get down close to the front tonight for they are going to do it all over again. For real entertainment, it's about the best thing the El Paso theater has had this year—even if it isn't the biggest.

THE NEW CRAWFORD.

"Big Bill" Bittner and his company made a hit with their opening performance at the Crawford Christmas matinee and night. The Bittner cast appears to be above the average for stock shows, and in their opening performance of Wm. H. Crane's "Father and the Boys," all had a chance to show what they could do. Judging from the applause of the audiences, they showed it in a satisfactory manner. Bittner in the role of Father stands out easily as the star of the cast and a very clever one, too. The company comes to El Paso with a record of from six to 50 weeks in other towns and the management promises to remain here as long as the people show that they want it. From the way they took to it Sunday, Bittner's company is doubtless booked for a long stay in El Paso, too. The musical program rendered by the orchestra is a feature not to be overlooked.

NEW MAJESTIC BILL.

There will be a change of bill at the Majestic tonight and the feature will be Jessie Russell and company in their big electrical act, with transformation scenes. The company carries five special drop curtains for this feature; also half a dozen powerful spot lights. There will be three other features and moving pictures.

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THREE KILLED AT CHRISTMAS PARTY

Greensburg, Pa., Dec. 26.—Three persons are dead, eight are in danger of death from their injuries, and 10 more are in the Westmoreland hospital with serious burns, as a penalty for somebody's carelessness of somebody's vengeance, while miners were holding a Christmas celebration at Keystone shaft, near here, late last night.

The accident occurred at the home of Michael Wildman, while he was entertaining a party of about 25 men and women. It is believed that some man in the party, while the dance was in progress, threw a cigarette butt carelessly under the stairway of the house. Twenty-five pounds of black mining powder are said to have been stored there in an open can.

Flames from the powder shot through the room and the acrid smoke blinded the dancers as they broke away for escape. The clothing of nearly all the dancers took fire from the explosion, and although the room was burned and blackened, the house was not seriously damaged.

LONE BANDIT ROBS A MISSOURI TRAIN

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 26.—A lone bandit celebrated Christmas last night by going through Missouri Pacific train No. 112, due here at 10:35 o'clock, and holding up more than 100 passengers, from whom he took only money and watches. The man boarded the train, which was from St. Joseph, bound for St. Louis, at Leavenworth Junction, in the outskirts of Leavenworth, and left it at Northwestern Junction, in Kansas City, Kan., after securing a large amount of money and valuables and shooting one man who attempted to resist him.

MAKES SECOND HIGH ALTITUDE RECORD EFFORT.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 26.—Arch Hoxsey, one of the Wright team, again outside the eagle and other denizens of the higher altitudes at the Christmas matinee of the aviation meet. More than a mile high he sailed out over the Pacific. Then climbing to still greater heights, he pointed his prow backward and vanished from the view of the spectators. When he finally stopped and the judges opened his sealed barograph, the record showed that he had reached a height of 1299 feet in his second attempt on the altitude record.

DOCTOR WRITES CRITICISM, WARRANT ISSUED FOR HIM

Albuquerque, N. M., Dec. 26.—A warrant has been issued for the arrest of city physician Solomon L. Burton, who is accused of violating the city health ordinance. It is alleged that Dr. Burton failed to report a tuberculosis case that existed last summer. The doctor recently published an article in the Morning Journal criticizing the sanitary conditions of Albuquerque, which caused much comment.

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